

# Jacksonville Daily Journal

JACKSONVILLE, ILLINOIS, TUESDAY MORNING, MARCH 20, 1906.

## REACHED A COMPROMISE

### ABOLISHING GRADE OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL.

**Will Not Become Effective Until Corbin and MacArthur Can Be Promoted—Senate Proceeds—Other Washington News**

Washington, March 19.—The house today reached a compromise on the question of abolishing the grade of lieutenant general in the army, but provision is made that it shall not become effective until Oct. 12 next, in order that Generals Corbin and MacArthur may be promoted before retirement.

An important bill, declared to be the first step toward reorganization of the consular service, was passed. The bill has already been acted on by the senate. It reclassifies the service and increases salaries to the extent of \$170,000 a year.

During completion of general debate on the legislative bill, Grovernor of Ohio came to the defense of the army in the Mount Dajo battle.

Williams, minority leader, replied briefly, saying all criticism was based on the official reports so far received.

Retirement of aged clerks received attention from the house for more than an hour, during which the debate was general, while Tawney, chairman of the appropriations committee, held the floor in advocacy of the seventy year retirement provision of the bill.

#### SENATE.

There were three speeches on the railroad rate bill in the senate today. McCleary, Bailey and Heyburn were the orators. McCleary announced his determination to vote for the bill whether amended or not, but said he would not object to a reasonable provision for review of the findings of the interstate commerce commission.

Bailey replied to criticisms of his suggestion for a provision against the act of suspension of the commission's orders in a court below the supreme court. He contended that congress has absolute power to prescribe limitations for courts which it creates and cited a large number of decisions in support of his position.

Heyburn advocated a review provision, but expressed the opinion that even if it were omitted no person could be deprived of his right of admission to the courts.

#### CANAL MATTERS.

The isthmian canal commission called Chief Engineer Stevens Saturday the substance of the testimony of Prof. William H. Burr and William Barclay Parsons to the effect that the hill at Gatun is not long enough to accommodate three locks of the length proposed in the report of the minority board of consulting engineers. Stevens replied to day, declaring the hill is of ample length with perfect foundations for longer locks than reported by the minority board. He reports steady progress in digging the Culebra cut.

Reports have been current for some time past to the effect that Shonts is about to resign his position as chairman of the isthmian canal commission. It was stated authoritatively at the war department today that the reports were without foundation so far as officials know. Shonts has been sojourning at Atlantic City for the past two weeks convalescing from an attack of grip.

#### BABCOCK TO RETIRE.

Because of failing health Representative Babcock of Wisconsin has declared to Republican leaders that he will not serve another campaign as chairman of the Republican congressional committee. He has urged Senator Nelson and Representative Hepburn to agree upon a date and call a joint caucus to select a chairman. Shorman of New York and Tawney of Minnesota are suggested as probable successors.

#### HAZING BILL.

A hazing bill was agreed upon today by the sub-committee sent to Annapolis to investigate discipline there. The bill will be reported to the full committee on naval affairs and doubtless be introduced in the house in a few days. The provisions for a graduated system of punishment for hazing empowers the secretary of navy to dismiss midshipmen.

#### MAY EXTEND RAILROAD.

Steps indicating extension of the lines of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad to the Pacific coast through South Dakota, Montana, Idaho and Washington were taken at the capitol today in the preparation of bills by Representative Burke of South Dakota for the building of the Missouri, Yellowstone and Columbia rivers.

#### NOMINATIONS.

Illinois postmasters: J. H. Firebaugh, Abingdon; W. C. Dustin, Dwight; P. A. Cole, Gibson City; M. E. Walsh, Harvard; H. C. Claypool, Morris; G. R. Palmer, Ontario; H. Mayo, Ottawa; G. S. Faxon, Plano; E. E. Lodge, Sandwich; J. R. Marshall, Yorkville; H. W. Lynch, Peoria; P. Yeager, Lenox; J. T. Gantz, Oregon.

Havan, March 19.—The Cuban presidential electors unanimously elected Thomas Estrada Palma president of the Cuban republic.

## SPRINGFIELD TRAGEDY

### Indian Territory Man Killed by Officer While Resisting Arrest.

Springfield, March 19.—Thomas Murphy of Vinita, I. T., was shot and killed here this afternoon by Policeman John W. Wilberly while resisting arrest. Murphy's companion, whose name is M. J. Curtis of Council Bluffs, Iowa, was arrested after a desperate struggle and is being held for investigation.

Much excitement was caused when it was first stated that the men were two of the trio of Wickliffe Indian outlaws, from the Indian Territory, whom a posse has been chasing for a week. A dispatch from Vinita says Murphy was a lather and left town several months ago, and that the Indians are still in the hills.

#### DEATHS.

Lincoln, Neb., March 19.—General John M. Thayer, aged 84, a civil war veteran, former United States senator and governor of Nebraska, died at eight o'clock to night after an illness which became serious only last Saturday. He was United States senator from Nebraska for the incomplete four year term, 1887-1891, territorial governor of Wyoming in 1895, and governor of Nebraska for four years beginning 1887.

## STORM REPORTS

### Whole Country East of Mississippi River Getting Benefit of Disagreeable Weather

Washington, March 19.—The whole country east of the Mississippi river, according to reports to the weather bureau, is experiencing the effects of the prevailing storm, with temperatures below the average for this time of the year. There have been heavy rains in the south and snow in the north. The storm began Sunday night in the south and extended into New England, New York, the lower lake region and the upper Ohio valley, where the rain turned into snow to day. Rivers in the states of Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia and the Carolinas are bankfull, and stages above the danger line are expected to rise to morrow. The storm is expected to pass down the St. Lawrence valley during the next twenty-four hours.

#### STORM IN THE EAST.

Philadelphia, Pa., March 19.—The most severe snow storm of the winter is raging through eastern Pennsylvania. The storm has reached blizzard proportions and shows no signs of abating. Traffic is at a standstill.

New York, March 19.—Six inches of snow fell in this city to day and for a time interfered seriously with service on all surface roads. The subway to night was taxed more severely than at any time since the tunnel opened. Shipping in the harbor interfered with, but the only accident reported was a collision between the West Shore railroad, Perry Rochester and the Erie Railroad, Perry Passaic. The latter was quite seriously damaged, but no passengers injured.

## SUBPOENAED

New York, March 19.—Andrew Hamilton, former legislative agent of the New York Life Insurance company, was served with a summons shortly after his arrival in this city from Albany this afternoon by trustees of the New York Life Insurance company, to appear in the supreme court. It is understood the suit is one for an accounting from Hamilton of moneys expended by him under direction of the late president, John A. McCleary.

#### TO BE TRIED FOR FORGERY.

Council Bluffs, Iowa, March 19.—Sheriff Kent of Fremont county has returned from Walla Walla, Wash., with H. C. Dye, the former banker of Tabor, Iowa, arrested for forgery. Dye was released on bonds. He will be tried in Sidney to morrow.

## COMPLETED TOUR

Kurrachee, British India, March 19.—The Prince and Princess of Wales having completed a five months' tour of India, sailed to day on board the British battleship Renown for Egypt, where they will spend a week. Then they will go to Athens to meet King Edward and Queen Alexandra. Before their departure the Prince of Wales held an investiture. Among the honors conferred was that of companion of the Indian empire upon Maj. Colin F. Campbell husband of former Miss Nancy Lettice.

#### MORE SERIOUS.

London, March 19.—A dispatch from Tokio to the Daily Telegraph says advice from Talhoku, capital of Formosa, states that the island suffered more seriously from the earthquake than at first reported. In the prefecture of Kagi alone 620 houses were destroyed, 1,011 persons killed and 85 injured.

## FRANCO-GERMANY CONTROVERSY

### SETTLEMENT ONLY A MATTER OF HOURS

**Report Current at Algiers Terms of Compromise Practically Arranged—Position Taken by France Said to Be Final**

Algiers, Spain, March 19.—Opinion has gained ground all day that a settlement of the Franco-German controversy before the conference on Moroccan reforms is a matter of hours. It is currently reported this evening that the terms of compromise have been practically arranged and the announcement of actual settlement will probably be made at the next plenary sitting of the conference, the date of which has not yet been definitely fixed, but which is expected to be held either to morrow or Wednesday. Details of the compromise are not obtainable.

#### POSITION IS FINAL.

Paris, March 19.—An official says the position of France is final against placing Casa Blanca under international command. It is maintained that the question is not one of detail but one that involves the entire Franco-German controversy over internationalization of policy of Morocco. After exchanges at various capitals, officials declare another vote will show France supported by Great Britain, Spain, Portugal and Russia, with Austria doubtful and Italy and the United States sustaining. Austria's doubt is due to Vienna's wavering in the support heretofore given Germany. The current opinion in official circles is that Germany intends to recede.

#### BILLIARD CHAMPION.

Chicago, March 19.—Edward W. Gardner of Passaic, N. J., is amateur billiard champion of America. He won the title to night at the tourney of the Chicago Athletic association in the final game of the meet which has been in progress for the past week. Gardner went through the entire five games of the tournament without a defeat. There is a triple tie for second prize between Calvin Demarest of Chicago, Henry Wright of San Francisco and J. G. Pogoreph of the lies will be played off to morrow.

## RAILROAD NEWS NOTES

### Wabash Engine Derailed—Burlington Wreck at Sorento—Trains Delayed by Storm—Personal Mention.

The storm of Sunday night did very little damage to any of the roads into this city, although it caused a few trains to run late. The Golden State Limited, due to arrive in the city at 4:50 a. m. over the Alton, was six hours late, while some of the other trains on the Alton run from an hour to two hours late. Most of the trains on the Wabash were about on-time except No. 9, due to arrive at 1:35 p. m. which arrived at 8:45 p. m. On the Burlington two freight trains were snow bound, one at Waverly and one at Girard.

Five cars were derailed on the Burlington Monday at Sorento, caused by a car jumping the track. Traffic was delayed for some time and as the passenger train could not get around, a special was sent south out of Beardstown in charge of Conductor McCarty. It went as far south as the wreck, where it will lay over until to day.

J. E. Fish, of Peoria, division freight agent for the Alton, was a Monday caller in the city.

Supt. Stampf and Trainmaster Kames, of the Wabash, were in the city for a short time Monday and left on the afternoon train for Springfield.

On account of the big snow the steam shovel at work on the cut-off south of the city was idle Monday.

Traffic on the Wabash blocked several hours Monday night by fast freight No. 24, westbound, being laid out at the Deaf and Dumb switch, west of the city. As the freight was slowly making the grade early in the city the forward trucks of the engine left the rails, and the services of the wrecker, summoned from Springfield, were required to set the wheels on the track again. The road was cleared by 12:25 o'clock.

A special train on the Wabash, from the east, passed through this city Sunday, headed for Omaha. The train was made up of fourteen cars, which were loaded with radiators that are to be used in one building. The train started from Litchfield and was sent by way of Decatur to Hannibal over the Wabash. It required two engines to handle the train.

## WITTE MAY RETIRE

### Rumor to That Effect Current in St. Petersburg—Cabinet Division the Cause.

St. Petersburg, March 19.—In high circles late to night a rumor was current that Count Witte has definitely decided to retire from the premiership. The Associated Press was unable to confirm the rumor, as the count has retired and the chancellery was closed when the correspondent called shortly after midnight. From an absolutely authentic source, however, it can be stated that the count at session of the council of empire this afternoon made an enigmatical statement which is interpreted by many members of the council as a virtual declaration that his career, as premier, is ended and that he will be succeeded by Privy Councillor Kokovoff, former minister of finance.

The project for solution of the agrarian problem by the purchase of lands from nobles and other large proprietors through peasant banks and their resale to peasants on a long term in stated payments led to the marked division of the cabinet. Finance Minister Shipoff opposed the premier. Suddenly M. K. Kovovoff arose and in a warm speech supported the premier. When he had concluded Witte closed the debate in a few words, thanking Kovovoff for his support and adding, "It also might have made a better defense had I been as much interested in the future as Kovovoff."

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## MAKE ANOTHER TRIAL

### Second Joint Conference to be Held by Operators and Miners.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 19.—That there will be a second joint conference of coal operators and miners of the central competitive district, comprising the states of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and western Pennsylvania, was definitely determined upon this afternoon when the operators of the four states met in convention and adopted a resolution setting forth a willingness to meet representatives of the United Mine Workers. Subsequent arrangements between J. H. Winder, the newly elected chairman of the operators, and President John Mitchell of the Mine Workers fixed the first session of the joint conference for to morrow morning at 10 o'clock. When seen to night E. L. Robbins refused to make a statement regarding his reasons for relinquishing the leadership of the operators. His successor was equally reticent.

#### KILLED BY A MOB.

Chattanooga, Tenn., March 19.—Ed Johnson, colored, was taken from jail by a mob to night and hanged to a beam of the county bridge over the Tennessee river. The rope broke and the negro's body fell, but the mob quickly ridged him with bullets.

## BOWLING CONGRESS

Louisville, Ky., March 19.—The end of the second day's play in the tournament of the American bowling congress showed an improvement over the work of the first night, due to the bowlers settling in to their stride. All Chicago men showed up well to day in singles. The three leaders were: L. Vanderside, 643; P. Warden, 612, and Ed Blouin, 595.

"To night several crack eastern and middlewestern five men teams made their appearance. The sensational performance was that of Century No. 1 of Chicago, who rolled three games, making a grand total of 2,791. This is the highest score yet made. Among top-of-the-line five men teams in the first round to night were: Difficulty No. 1, Belleville, Ill., 2,475; Hopkins, Des Moines, 2,461.

#### TO OPERATE STEAMSHIPS.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 19.—The Seneca Transportation company has been incorporated to operate a line of steamships between Buffalo and other ports on the Great Lakes. It is a subsidiary corporation of the Lackawanna Steel company, which holds a majority of the stock.

#### FINE HORSES SOLD.

H. H. Massey of this city has recently sold some fine horses. Two were sold in this city, one to Chandlerville, two in Wisconsin and one went to Broken Arrow, Ind. Ter. The animal which went to the territory was loaded here last Tuesday afternoon and arrived at its destination Saturday afternoon. Thomas Massey, who accompanied the horse, returned to the city Monday night. All of these horses sold were roadsters, except the one that was sent to the territory, which was a fine stallion. At present Mr. Massey says there is a great demand for high bred horses all over the country.

#### STILL ALARM.

A still alarm took the hook and ladder wagon to the residence of Mr. Dunaway, 929 West Railroad Street Monday evening about 7:45 o'clock. A burning fire was the cause and no damage was done.

## SUIT AGAINST OIL COMPANIES

### MISSOURI'S FIGHT ON THE TRUST.

**Points Brought Out in Testimony of Former Head of Waters-Pierce Company—Stockholders of Various Corporations**

St. Louis, March 19.—The hearing of the Missouri suit against the Standard, Republic and the Waters-Pierce Oil companies was resumed to day before Special Commissioner Anthony. Among the witnesses was Henry Clay Pierce, former president of the latter company. The points brought out to day, summed up, stand as follows: That the stock of the Republic Oil company is held by individuals for the Standard Oil; that Frank Wilson, assistant secretary to Wm. G. Rockefeller, president of the Standard Oil company, is a Republic stock holder; that the Waters-Pierce Oil company bought oil from Standard refineries; that in payment for oil bought by the Waters-Pierce Oil company from the Atlantic refinery, Philadelphia, an alleged independent concern, checks since 1904 have been sent to 23 Broadway, New York, headquarters of the Standard; that stock of the Waters-Pierce Oil company is held by M. M. VanBuren, a nephew of John Archbold, an officer of the Standard; that Charles M. Adams, secretary of the Waters-Pierce Oil company, visited 23 Broadway to discuss the affairs of the Waters-Pierce company with the officers of the Standard Oil company.

#### OIL RATE.

St. Louis, March 19.—The Missouri railroad and warehouse commission to day announced a rate of 17 cents per 100 pounds of oil shipped between St. Louis and Kansas. It was stated the reason for changing from the recent rate of 9 cents was to afford immediate relief for independent oil dealers.

#### RAILROAD DECISION.

San Francisco, March 19.—United States Circuit Judge Morrow to day handed down a decision in the case of the Southern Pacific Railroad company against the Western Pacific Railway company, generally known as the Gould line, which is seeking to obtain terminal facilities on the Oakland side of San Francisco bay. Every contention of the Southern Pacific company as to the rights of way and precedence along the bay shores is sustained.

## SWEPT TO DEATH

### Twelve Miners Lose Their Lives in Snow Slide in Colorado.

Silverton, Colo., March 19.—Twelve miners, employed in the Shenandoah mine, were caught by a great snow slide to day and swept to their death. Their bodies have not been recovered. Assistance has been summoned from Silverton to help dig the victims out. The dead: Jacob T. Tschobold, Jesse Shaw, Gus Holse, Peter Coleburg, Bert Albert, Edward Kirk, "Slate" Branton, Emil Ross, Gunavison, Margelo, Piccolo and one unknown.

According to report the men were killed when the snowslide struck a boarding house, where the men were at dinner. It is reported that twenty-one were caught, but nine dug their way out.

Denver, Colo., March 19.—By the loss of fourteen lives in the snowslide near Silverton to day the death toll resulting from the great storm of the past week in the San Juan mining districts has been increased to at least seventeen. At Camp Bird and Coal Basin hundreds of miners and families are facing starvation and mills and mining property worth millions of dollars have been swept to destructions. Cattle on Thousand Hills are dead to skin and bone. On the Cumbres pass, the highest point on the narrow gauge road from Durango to Alamosa, a train load of passengers, mangled, is dependent for warmth on the meagre supply of coal in the engine tender and for food on what hardly "mountain" can bring them on snowshoes. Railroad traffic is paralyzed and telegraph and telegraphic communication is interrupted over half the state.

#### ESCAPED SLIDE.

Ouray, Colo., March 19.—All employees of the Camp Bird mine and mills, who took refuge in a tunnel to escape snowslides have reached here, coming over the mountain on snowshoes. A telephone message from Silverton was received here to night to the effect that fourteen lives were lost in the Shenandoah snowslide; also it is reported five mills have been wrecked by the slide, but the names of the companies owning the mills were not given.

#### POSTOFFICE ROBBERY.

Jackson, Mich., March 19.—As the result of the robbery of the Brooklyn, Mich., postoffice at an early hour to day by safe breakers, who got away with \$900 in stamps and cash, and the subsequent shooting and killing of Police Sergeant Fred H. Booth, three men are under arrest to night.

## CITY COUNCIL

### Alderman McGinnis Elected Mayor-Protem at Special Session Called Monday Afternoon

At the call of Alderman Higgins, 111-dreth and Kennedy, the members of the city council were convened in special session at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon. Acting Clerk Room called the roll, showing a quorum of members present. The clerk then read the call, which stated the business of the meeting to be the election of a mayor pro tem. Alderman Kendrick nominated Alderman McGinnis, and Alderman Hargrove seconded the motion. Alderman Hargrove, seconded by Alderman Tiekner, moved that nominations be closed. Carried. On motion to elect Alderman McGinnis mayor pro tem the same was carried by unanimous vote. No further business appearing the meeting adjourned. Those who were present at the meeting Alderman Kendrick, Goveia, Kennedy, Higgins, Kendrick, Hargrove, McGinnis and Tiekner.

#### TIP WEATHER.

Those who expected Saturday to end the blizzard were sadly disappointed, for a gloomy Sunday was followed by the heaviest fall of snow of the season Sunday night. The flakes began to come down thick and fast about 8 o'clock in the evening, driven by a strong wind, and continued practically without intermission all night. The total fall for the past seven days exceeded all records for March, 22 inches being measured in many places. In view of the fact that the Illinois river, the Sangamon and many of the larger creeks are already out of their banks, and the ground is full of water, immense damage from floods in the near future may be expected.

The program for the early part of the week, according to the United States weather report, is "Fair and warmer Tuesday and Wednesday, with snow flurries in north and central portions." It appears that a "continuous performance" is to be expected, and "further developments will be awaited with interest."

#### PLEASANT SURPRISE.

E. G. Shumaker of East College avenue was very pleasantly surprised by about twenty-five friends Saturday evening on the occasion of his twenty-first birthday. Most of the guests were masked and were given a hearty welcome. A very pleasant evening was spent by all with singing and other amusements.

#### SALE POSTPONED.

J. E. Kingsley's sale of town lots to have been held Monday was postponed on account of the inclement weather. Another date for the sale will be announced later.

## THE SPRING SCOURGE.

### (BY DUNCAN M. SMITH.)

It's all right  
To say  
That you are sophisticated  
And on to the roses,  
That you know the world,  
The flesh  
And the gentleman not mentioned  
In polite society,  
But,  
If you have never lived  
In a mud country,  
My friend,  
With the laughing eye  
And the sunny disposition,  
You don't know what life is.  
Granted  
You may have had appendicitis,  
Corns  
And poor relations;  
But they are nothing  
As compared with the joy  
Of pulling one foot out  
Of the mud.  
While the other sinks deeper,  
Allowing you to make  
All of a quarter of a mile  
An hour  
In your mad effort  
To reach the postoffice  
And get back home  
Some time  
In the same year.  
To see the strong horses  
Weep bitter tears  
Because they can't pull  
By reason of the mud,  
Is something of a sight;  
You'll allow.  
When at every step  
Your foot sinks through the earth  
And tickles the foundations of China,  
You'll know  
You are living in a mud country  
Without consulting any diagram  
Or waiting to see  
What the small bills say.

#### THE TABERNACLE.

The work of raising the tabernacle probably will begin Wednesday, and the entire structure will be removed from the grounds of the Y. M. C. A. a piece at a time. The contract of the committee with Contractor Goveia was that the building should be used as long as Evangelists Culppeper and Congley remained in the city, or until April 1st. Upon the latter date, or when the evangelists left, it prior to that time, the building was to become his property, to be removed.

## STUDENTS IN FIRE

Haverhill Mass., March 19.—A fire in the Haverhill manual training school and high school annex imperiled more than 150 students and although mainly because of the coolness and generalship of the teachers no lives were lost, several pupils were slightly burned and one girl was injured by jumping from a second story window. The training school was a three story wood building. The fire started in the blacksmith shop on the ground floor of the training school building. The loss is \$25,000.

## MOODY MAKES ARGUMENTS

### ATTORNEY GENERAL IN PACKERS' CASE

**Importance of Case Justifies His Action in Appearing at Bar of Court—Room Packed With Attorneys.**

Chicago, March 19.—Attorney General William H. Moody commenced the closing arguments for the government to day in the hearing of immunity pleas advanced by the packers. The court room was packed to the doors with local attorneys, anxious to hear the argument of the attorney general. In the opening argument he declared that the eyes of the whole people of the United States were directed upon the pending case and asserted that the government of the United States is far too much in earnest in the present case to pursue, as attorneys for the packers have intimated it is pursuing, a senseless creation of laws. He declared that if wrong had been committed, the government is seeking punishment—punishment not of a corporation, but of human beings who committed the wrong. The government and the people of the United States, he declared, will be satisfied with nothing less than that. He declared that his appearance at the bar of a court was unusual and almost unprecedented, but the law gave him a right to appear and after much deliberation he believed it to be his duty to appear. The justification for his action, he said, would be found not only in the importance of the present case, but in the fact that it immunes the confederate upon the defendants on the ground upon which it is claimed, it would overthrow legal interpretations of the government for almost twenty years and would especially cripple the government in its attempts to enforce the laws of the land.

#### ELKINS TALKS BACK.

Des Moines, Iowa, March 19.—Gov. A. B. Cummins has received from Senator Stephen T. Elkins, chairman of the senate committee on interstate commerce, a letter denying the statements made by Cummins in a recent speech regarding his hearing before that committee last summer with respect to the rate bill. Elkins takes issue upon the government or on several points. He says in closing his letter: "I have no interest in your campaign for a third term, but I am free to express the opinion that there are few states where a man could perpetuate himself in office by maligning one branch of the general government."

#### BURLINGTON WRECK.

Ottumwa, Iowa, March 19.—Burlington passenger train No. 6 was wrecked at Lock Bridge, Iowa, to day. A misplaced switch caused the dining and sleeping cars to break away from the rest of the train and dash into the rear end of a work train on the siding. S. Bloom of Burlington was killed. The fatally injured: John Peterson of West Burlington, Ernest Pait of Seattle, Washington, Charles Ellerhoff of West Burlington, and Rudolph Priek of Burlington, engineer of work train.

#### IAS CANCER.

New York, March 19.—The World tomorrow will say: "Private advice received in this city to day said that William Rockefeller, who has been in Europe since early last fall, has cancer of the stomach. William Rockefeller is 61 years. He has been a speculative member of the Standard group of capitalists and has engineered all vast deals of the commission in the stock market. Next to his older brother, John D. Rockefeller, he is probably the richest man in the United States."

#### COMPLETED "TAINTED" GIFT.

New York, March 19.—John D. Rockefeller has forwarded to the board of commissioners of foreign missions of the Congregational church a check for \$25,000, completing the gift of \$100,000 promised some time ago, which gift when first announced started a strong movement against receiving it, headed by Rev. Dr. Washington Gladden. It appears that Rockefeller had only sent \$25,000 when the tainted money discussion began.

#### FIRE LOSSES.

Florence, March 19.—The Dorcas Custer ore mill, located half a mile north of Florence, was destroyed by fire this afternoon. Loss \$200,000.  
Detroit, March 19.—Fire of unexplained origin to night gutted the dry goods store of Gnuil & Reutter. Loss \$75,000; fully insured.

#### RECEIVER APPOINTED.

Springfield, March 19.—Judge Humphrey of the United States district court to day appointed G. J. George receiver for the Jerseyville Shoe Manufacturing company of Jerseyville, Ill.


#### MONEY FOR LIBRARY.

St. Paul, March 19.—Word was received to day from Andrew Carnegie that he had decided to give \$20,000 to Hamline university for a library building.



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## CHILDREN OF PAROCHIAL SCHOOL

Furnish Delightful Entertainment at Liberty Hall Sunday Evening—Program is Credit to All Who Took Part

Sunday evening the children of the Parochial school gave an entertainment in honor of St. Patrick's Day in Liberty hall. The hall was filled with an enthusiastic and appreciative audience and no doubt the children and their instructors, the Dominican Sisters and Prof. DeArillaga, feel repaid for the patience and labor required to bring such satisfactory results.

The entertainment opened with a piano duet, a medley of Irish airs, the performers being the Misses Anna and Edna McBride, who gave a fine rendition of the pieces which appeal to those of Irish birth.

A hymn to St. Patrick was sung by the entire school and was well received by the audience. "The Little Shoemakers," presented by the children of the kindergarten followed and to say the least it was surprising to see the extent to which the little minds were trained. "Tom Thumb's Wedding" came next, introducing the children of the primary grade, this piece was the cause of much amusement, showing as it did the costumes and manners prevailing at a modern wedding. The performers were attired in the conventional attire prescribed for such functions, and carried out their parts with great gravity.

A violin duet, "The Harp That Once Through Tara's Hall," first violin, Frank Kelly, and second violin, Edward Weisenberg, was played with great skill, showing a promise of great talent in the future for the young performers.

"St. Patrick," a recitation by Thomas Bahau, was far beyond the ordinary affairs of this kind, the young orator's delivery would put to shame many who make greater pretensions.

"Believe Me if All Those Endearing Young Charms" was rendered by a double quartet and the applause following it proved that it was successfully rendered.

"The Exiles' Greeting to the American Flag," an address by Emmett Keating, who also proved himself to be quite an orator, his elocution and delivery were surprisingly good.

A dumb bell drill and march by the junior boys under Captain Edward Weisenberg, was a very fine number on the program and called forth loud plaudits from the audience.

"The Last Rose of Summer," a violin obligato, first violin, Edward Weisenberg; second violin, Frank Kelly, was rendered especially fine. The performers were assisted in this number by the junior girls each carrying a lovely rose, and with costumes especially designed for this number.

"The Little Shamrock," solo and quartet, was a very pleasing presentation of this sweet ballad and seemed to appeal to the audience in a special sense.

A cantata in one act, "Our Flag With the Stars and Stripes," was the closing number. It was presented on quite an elaborate scale, introducing Liberty, Columbia, Uncle Sam and other characters, supported by great numbers of children representing states, the army and navy, the blue and gray and other figures of historic and patriotic interest.

The act was interspersed with patriotic songs, marches and drills, and was splendidly staged. It was the general opinion of those present that this performance was the best ever offered by the children and great credit is due them. But special mention should be made of the skill and patience required by their instructors, the Sisters and Prof. DeArillaga, who had charge of the musical end of the program, which was so arranged that it did not suffer in the slightest detail.

The detailed program follows: Medley—Piano duet—Irish Airs—Anna and Edna McBride.

Hymn to St. Patrick—School.

"The Little Shoemakers"—Kindergarten.

Tom Thumb's Wedding—Primary room.

Duet—"The Harp that Once Through Tara's Hall"—First violin, F. Kelly; second violin, E. Weisenberg.

Recitation—"St. Patrick"—Thomas Bahau.

Dumb-bell drill and march; (E. Weisenberg, captain)—Junior boys.

"Believe Me if All Those Endearing Young Charms"—Double quartet.

Address—"The Exile's Greeting to the American Flag"—Emmett Keating.

"The Last Rose of Summer"—Junior girls. (Obligato: First violin, E. Weisenberg; second violin, F. Kelly).

## REPRESENTATIVE COMERFORD

SENDS LETTER TO WM. S. LURTON.

Setting Forth the Letter's Legislative Record—Latter Appeals to Democratic Organ to Publish Epistle—Gets Turned Down.

It certainly seems strange that the local Democratic organ would refuse to publish a letter of the character following. Especially is this fact noticeable when the letter is presented by a candidate for office who has twice been endorsed by that paper for member of the legislature. It is understood that the letter was offered in the hope of correcting a wrong impression that had been current regarding the attitude of Mr. Lurton while in the legislature to the injury of his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for the office of assessor and treasurer. It is evident that the candidacy of Mr. Lurton is assuming astounding proportions and his request would have been granted. He should have brought this letter with the O. K. mark of the bosses. They seem to be worried considerably over the candidacy of their choice for this office and it would seem to a man up a tree that Lurton has the gang going some. Nothing succeeds like success and the victories of Mr. Lurton at Democratic primaries in the past would not cause a surprise to many should he succeed in his present aspirations. The Journal has no desire to meddle in the family affairs of the Democratic party but is always willing to give everyone a fair hearing. The letter which is self explanatory is as follows:

March 13, 1906.

Hon. Wm. S. Lurton, Jacksonville, Ill.  
Dear Sir: I have been informed by friends in Jacksonville, that you are being criticized for your vote as a member of the 44th general assembly on the occasion of my expulsion from that august body. Believing that it is my duty to inform you of my feelings in this matter I write you this letter.

During the life of the 44th general assembly I watched your conduct carefully. I am glad to say that you were at all times honest and straightforward. During the investigation of my charges, you "stood pat." You deserve great credit for your fearless stand before the investigating committee and the grand jury. Many people do not appreciate the influences and threats that were brought to bear on you, to silence you. You stood your ground nobly. In my humble opinion, you deserve the respect and confidence of every citizen in your district.

I remember that on the 8th day of February, the day I was expelled from the legislature, you came to me and said that you would vote against my expulsion if your vote would do any good. It was a matter of common knowledge in Springfield, that I would be expelled. More than a majority of the legislators had expressed themselves on this subject in no uncertain terms. You were between two duties. If you voted against my expulsion, your usefulness to your district would have been destroyed and your vote could not have saved me. You had some measures before the house of considerable interest to your district. Particularly, the appropriation bills for the wards of the state that are cared for at Jacksonville. You told me that they threatened the appropriation for this worthy mission if you voted against my expulsion. You consulted me. You consulted your conscience. I know that your vote to expel me was prompted by necessity rather than desire. During my term in the legislature, I never heard a single word uttered against your integrity or industry. Personally you shall always have a warm spot in my heart. If the legislature of Illinois had more men who possessed the fearlessness and honesty that you have displayed, the disgraceful proceedings that have characterized the supreme seat of legislative authority in this state, would not be a source

of humiliation to the fair name of grand old Illinois.

Please remember me kindly to Mrs. Lurton. With best wishes, Most respectfully yours,  
Frank D. Comerford.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS, FOR SHERIFF.**

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of sheriff, subject to the approval of the Republicans at the primaries and in convention.

CHARLES R. GRAFF.

**FOR COUNTY CLERK.**

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for the office of county clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican voters in primaries and convention.

JAMES S. MERRILL.

**FOR COUNTY JUDGE.**

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of county judge of Morgan county, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primary election, to be held April 23, 1906, and the convention following.

W. M. MORRISSEY.

**FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.**

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of county superintendent of schools of Morgan county, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primary election to be held April 23, 1906.

M. L. TERRY.

**FOR ASSESSOR AND TREASURER.**

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for the office of assessor and treasurer of Morgan county, Illinois, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primary election.

J. W. McALLISTER, JR.

**FOR REPRESENTATIVE.**

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Republican nomination for representative in the general assembly from the Forty-fifth district. If re-elected I shall vote for the Republican candidate for United States senator receiving the highest number of votes in this senatorial district, and shall assist the state administration in its efforts to improve the public service of the state.

FRANK J. HEINL,  
Jacksonville, Ill.

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Are the result of constant attention. The nails can only be kept in condition with the aid of suitable implements and by the use of proper materials.

We keep a complete line of everything necessary—manicure scissors, orange wood sticks, polishers, nail files, emery boards, and all of the various preparations.

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High Class Vaudeville

For Ladies, Children and Gentlemen.

Nothing But the Best.

Six Big Acts Every Day, Beginning Monday, March 19.

The following will be the great vaudeville bill for the opening week:

Musical Toys.

Comedy Novelty Musical Artists.

Mack & Dugal, in their comedy sketch: "A Stronous Sprain."

"Mrs. Van Beauty with a Jealous Husband."

Maxieas & Maxieas—Novelty Dog Act.

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Illustrated songs by Mr. Will Happy.

Latest Moving Pictures.

**The Bijou Theatre**

West State St.

Matinee daily at 2:30; admission 10 cents. Evening performances at 8 and 9:15. Admission 10 and 20 cents.

**OPERA HOUSE**

Wednesday, March 21.

**Ushers' Benefit**

Mr. Charles E. Grapewine

In George V. Hobart's American Farce Comedy with Music

**It's Up to You, John Henry**

With a Cast of 50 Fun-making Foot-light Favorites.

The entire receipts on this night will be donated to the ushers.

Seating opens Monday at 8 a. m.

Prices: 10c, 20c, 40c and \$1.50

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DRY GOODS & NOTIONS

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## Dainty New Shirt Waists of

Sheer White Materials

THIS DEPARTMENT offers for your inspection this week the most complete assortment of correct styles in Lingerie Waists we have yet shown.

Some of the recent arrivals are mentioned owing to the exceptional lowness of the prices.



No. 1015 Made as Above 75c WAISTS AT 50c No. 1047 Made as Above

of sheer Persian Lawn, wide embroidered band, front and side tucks. A special value at \$1.25 week

Embroidery trimmed, band front, of fine lawn, neatly tucked and made. Special at 50c

Fancy yoke effect, trimmed with embroidery and Valenciennes lace, of fine quality material. \$1.25

**NEW CHECKED SILKS**

The new neat checked suitings in black and white, blue and white, brown and white, full 19 inches wide; a very special offering for

This week . . . . . 50c

**SPRING WEIGHT UNDERWEAR**

The spring weights are now on sale in complete sizes and all qualities. WOMEN'S LONG SLEEVE VESTS of fine white yarn, neatly trimmed

The garment . . . . . 25c

**KITCHEN CABINETS**

We are making a special display of Kitchen Cabinets this week and we can show you a very large and complete assortment.

Cabinet size, top 4 ft. x 26 in., 2 flour bins, 2 drawers, 1 dough board.

Price . . . . . \$ 5.50

Cabinet size, top 48 in. x 26 in., 2 bins, 2 drawers, 2 kneading boards.

Price . . . . . 6.00

Cabinet size, base and top . . . . . 17.00

Cabinet size, base and top . . . . . 16.00

Cabinet size, base and top . . . . . 10.00

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**Table Oilcloths, the Best 15c**

**FRUIT LONSDALE BLACKSTONE HILL HOPE**

Standard Calicoes—Light and dark Indigos, black and white, silver grey. Per yard . . . . . 5c

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in all the new spring colors includ-

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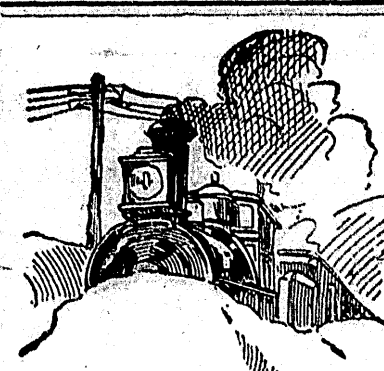
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## BIJOU THEATRE

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MONDAY NIGHT

Excellent Bill Offered—Attractions Were High Class and Large Audiences Present.

The Bijou theatre, Jacksonville's new polite vaudeville house, had a grand opening Monday. Two performances were given, one beginning at 7:30 o'clock, and the other at 9. At the first the house was crowded, and at the second also a good audience was present.

The entertainment furnished last evening was of a very high character, and would rank well with vaudeville anywhere. All of the performers appeared to be first class people in every respect, and their turns were roundly applauded. Will Happy, of this city, in several illustrated songs, made a great hit, and was given a flattering reception. Other attractions were equally well received, and the work of the musical team was especially appreciated. Taken as a whole, the entertainment was an excellent one, and as good perhaps as could be seen for the same price anywhere in the country.

H. Bernstein, of the firm of Bernstein & Clark, is personally in charge of the local house, and the programs show the following staff:

H. Bernstein—Business manager.  
S. Althausen—Treasurer.  
B. S. Gray—Musical director.  
Wm. Allen—Stage manager.  
Andrew Finley—Electrician.  
Wm. Happy—Advance agent.  
The building is equipped with a neat stage, and the seats are part

upholstered opera chairs, and part plain opera chairs.

The program for this week is as follows:

Overture, B. S. Gray.  
Lament the Great.  
Mack & Dugal original comedy sketch, A Strenuous Strain.  
Marion Lynton, Spanish dancing and singing.

Wm. Happy illustrated songs, "Take Me to Your Heart Again."  
The Musical Toys, comedy novelty musical artists.

The Bijougraph, A Mysterious Advertisement and The Chicken Thief.

## STREET CAR TRAFFIC

The storm of Sunday night and Monday delayed street car traffic but little. Cars were run all night to keep the track clear, and at starting time Monday morning everything was in shape for running on schedule time. The west end service was seriously hampered between 7 and 8 o'clock by the derailing on car No. 25, in charge of Motorman Haxton and Conductor Bergechneider, at the east end of the Prairie street switch. Snow packed on the frog threw the car from the rails and it ran for some distance on the pavement. Traffic was blocked for about thirty minutes by this accident, but aside from this all cars were nearly on time during the day.

## RETURNED MISSIONARY

At Congregational Church Lecture Room Tonight.

This evening at 7:30 Miss Patterson, a returned missionary from China, will address the people on the great subject. The lady is well qualified to speak intelligently and she will have something of deep interest, which should be heard by every one.

## TEAM PAN AWAY

Considerable excitement was caused about 6 o'clock Monday evening by a runaway horse attached to a sled. The outfit was the property of the Fitzsimmons-Kreider mills. The team ran north on West street from near the intersection with College street and were stopped just before reaching Lafayette avenue. They dashed across West State street at a time when that thoroughfare is usually congested with vehicles and people, but at this particular time the way was clear. Several attempts were made to stop the team but were ineffectual until the final effort near the Lafayette avenue crossing with North West street. The cause of the runaway was not learned.

## KINDNESS APPRECIATED

Superintendent Gillett, of the State School for the Deaf, with commendable thoughtfulness furnished a sled Monday to carry the teachers of the institution to their homes at noon, and return them to their school duties again in the afternoon. His kindness was greatly appreciated.

## PUPILS OF MISS MATTHEWS

The Virginia pupils of Miss Sarajane Matthews will give a recital in that city to night at the home of J. T. Robertson. Miss Matthews has a large class in the thriving Cass county city, and the members are doing excellent work under the direction of their capable instructor.

## NO MAIL ON RURAL ROUTES

The condition of the country roads are such that all the rural carriers remained in the city Monday and did not make their usual routes. The roads are in many places impassable.

The Journal is pleased to announce the name of Frank J. Hoin as a candidate for nomination for the office of member of the legislature. Mr. Hoin's career in the house was in every way a credit to him and the county was honored by his services there. He is too well known to need any special introduction. His announcement is a manly expression of his honest intentions if nominated and elected and he expresses himself in no uncertain manner.

## CONSIDERED INDUSTRIAL

PROBLEM FROM ITS SOCIAL SIDE

Splendid and Inspiring Address by Rev. Allen Tanner Delivered at Open Meeting of Monday Conversation Club.

"The Fraternal Side of the Industrial Problem" was the subject of an interesting and instructive address delivered last evening by Rev. Allen Tanner, of Alton, at the open meeting of the Monday Conversation club. The delightful home of Mrs. Frank Robertson was thrown open for the occasion, which was one of enjoyment for a large company of members and their invited guests.

Mrs. E. W. Bassett, president of the club, welcomed the guests most happily and in well chosen words introduced the speaker of the evening. She referred briefly to the fact that the club had been studying for some months various sides of the social problem, particularly considering its municipal and immigration side and that the society felt greatly honored by the presence of Mr. Tanner, who had consented to speak to them along lines for which he was peculiarly fitted from his own personal experiences.

By way of introduction Mr. Tanner expressed his pleasure at being again in the presence of friends and neighbors and hoped that the use of the personal pronoun in the remarks of the speaker would not be misconstrued or regarded as egotistical. He stated that soon after his entrance upon the ministry he became impressed with the thought of how far removed the lines of his profession kept him from the affairs of every day life. How little of the elbow touch there was for him when it came to meeting with, and understanding the problems of life that presented themselves to the average workman. As this fact became borne in upon him he felt a keen desire to widen the bounds of his experiences and to know life and men from the standpoint of the industrial worker, the man who toils either in the office or the workshop. This desire became a realization when he resigned the pastorate of a prosperous church in Iowa and departed for the east, where he entered the employ of a large manufacturing concern, whose methods were fashioned in some degree along the line of the English co-operative plan and in which he had become interested.

His experiences in the field of the industrial workman covered a period of thirty months. Ten months of the period he spent in the office, where his employment brought him in touch with the advertising branch of the business, later he went into the workshop, donned overalls, and became one of the helpers. He changed himself from the man "who held a position to the man who had a job, from the man who earns a salary to one who draws wages," to use the words of the speaker.

His change of environments brought him face to face with the problem of trades unionism. He did not join the union at first because he wanted to experience the lot of the "scab." After a few months, however, he became convinced of the intensely practical value of the trade union to the "worker for wages" and he became a member. He related how he was accorded special privileges by his local union and was made a delegate to the central body whose sessions he attended regularly and to which organization he paid a great tribute. The speaker declared that the present time afforded no greater opportunity for the young man than to identify himself with the great industrial world and to become a leader in the American Federation of Labor. Here was a field where great problems were to be settled in the near future and already the leaders in the American Federation, by their

ability and earnestness had shown themselves men entitled to consideration and respect.

The remarks of the speaker were in reality a plea for "the man in overalls."

He discussed the laboring man from the standpoint of a workman in a great mechanical workshop where hundreds and even thousands are employed. He considered the subject from the standpoint of "Danger," "Monotony," "Privation," and referred to the "Goodness" of the average workman and of his sense of fairness and respect for religion.

In considering the dangerous character of the occupation of a wage worker he expressed the hope that the time would come when the doctrine of contributory negligence would not be such a prime consideration in dealing with the injured of a great establishment but that a higher consideration would govern in the matter of wages when there was a period of incapacity incident to injury.

Here the speaker paid a glowing tribute to the heroes of peace and hoped to see the dawn of the day when there would be a time set apart to do their memories honor. He had not a word in condemnation of the tribute paid to the heroes of war but he hoped that the bravery and courage of the hero of peace would not be permitted to remain unused.

In the industry of the life of the average workman the speaker found a strong plea in favor of the eight hour work day. In his discussion of the subject of "Privation" he told of the many doors of opportunity that were shut to the average workman and here he referred to the motto that was displayed in the great plant of "Golden Rule" Jones at Toledo where his own experiences in the field of labor and the industrial world took place, a motto declaring that "He Who is Willing to Work Has a Right to Live." "When," said the speaker, "it is known that the average income of the so-called working man does not exceed \$100 it becomes apparent the many privations he must encounter."

Considering the "goodness" of the workman, the speaker aptly illustrated the remarkable trait in the man who "works for wages" when he spoke of the woman who walked the lonely street at nightfall who felt no fear from the footsteps heard on the opposite side of the street when she discovered in the hands of the approaching man a dinner basket. Much as he deplored the absence of the man of the industrial world from the church pew, yet he could not declare that he was not religious. True, the working man had come to feel that the church was not for him, but after all he was exemplifying the tenets of true religion in his own daily life, namely love and service.

Mr. Tanner hoped his auditors would not understand from his remarks that the "man in overalls" had only a good side. He realized that the workman had his defects. He was deemed violent, guilty of profanity and intemperance.

In discussing the profanity side the speaker was of the opinion that swearing was more a matter of mentality than morality. He recalled an incident experienced while working with a keen, bright young mechanic on a boiler casting. It was Monday morning and they were discussing the subject of religion in a common sense way, not "talking religion." His fellow laborer remarked that he had been reading the Bible the night before and that he had found it a "hell of an interesting book," and to the query as to what he thought of it, he remarked that "I thought it was."

The speaker concluded his remarks by declaring that he believed the fraternal side of the social problem was the very inside of the question and that when this fact was recognized, greater light would be let in upon the subject. With Dr. Cunsagias, he felt that the problem was not so much one of "head throbs as heart throbs." He did not appear before the Monday Conversation club as the representative of any great reform idea, but he felt that when people came to recognize the fact that to call God father meant to regard man as brother, then, indeed, would many of the great problems of sociology be clarified.

"Knowledge of the true social conditions, which will come when the brotherhood of mankind is more universally recognized and the practice of real religion, which must necessarily follow, are the two essentials that will cause sympathy to flow from heart to heart and a spirit of helpfulness to prevail."

Mr. Tanner was heard with marked attention and he handled a pertinent and serious subject in a most entertaining manner. His illustrations were well selected and were told in a manner that evoked laughter and applause.

At the conclusion of his excellent address he received many flattering compliments, and former friends pressed forward to give him a hearty hand grasp.

The guests mingled socially for a brief period, after which excellent refreshments were served. This feature of the program brought to a close an evening of rare pleasure and profit and the members of the Conversation club are indeed to be congratulated upon the entertainment provided. An evening open meeting is something of a departure for the club as the custom has heretofore consisted of having their open meetings in the afternoon and observing their anniversary once in five years with an evening celebration. The fortunate guests present last evening welcomed the departure.

## POLICE NEWS

James McDonough was arrested by Patrolman Murgatroyd for drunkenness.



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Quality top notch, prices the lowest.

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Lingerie waists and whole dresses and elaborate trimmings are being made now both of the laces and embroideries, which we are showing in beautiful new designs and in exquisite qualities, in narrow and wide bands, insertions, edges, galcons, medallions, in match sets, in wide all overs and flounces.

## Shimmering Silks for Spring

From the inexpensive lining silks to some extravagant novelties, including the new grays and Alice blues in small tailor checks and stripes. All the new shades in plain colored, soft chiffon finished silks, light weight Jap silks in black and white, Pongee silks in natural color and fancy shades, rich black dress silks in many weaves, beautiful crepe de chinos and radium mezzalines for evening wear, the new Adrea dress silks, exceedingly soft, in rich colorings. Skinner's lining satins and 50 new shades of plain taffetas.

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Time of arrival of trains:	GOING NORTH.
Chicago	7:15 a.m.
St. Louis	7:30 a.m.
St. Paul	7:45 a.m.
St. Peter	8:00 a.m.
St. Cloud	8:15 a.m.
St. James	8:30 a.m.
St. Mary	8:45 a.m.
St. Anthony	9:00 a.m.
St. Elizabeth	9:15 a.m.
St. John	9:30 a.m.
St. Joseph	9:45 a.m.
St. Charles	10:00 a.m.
St. Francis	10:15 a.m.
St. Margaret	10:30 a.m.
St. Ann	10:45 a.m.
St. Rose	11:00 a.m.
St. Thome	11:15 a.m.
St. Ignace	11:30 a.m.
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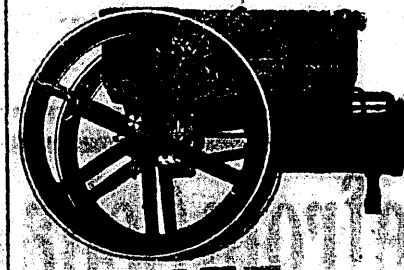
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"Good Housekeeping," a well known household national magazine, voluntarily made a thorough examination and test of None-Such Mince Meat, and placed it without reservation upon its roll of honor. In the March number of Good Housekeeping, in the department of Pure Food Assurance, we find:

"None-Such Mince Meat, Merrill-Boulton Co. Syracuse, a semi-moist condensed compound of beef, apples, spices, sugar, raisins, currants, boiled older and salt, without other preservatives or adulterants, no artificial coloring, produced under conditions as near to sanitary perfection as possible."

"It is a guarantee which could not be bought at any price, ought to satisfy the most particular housewife. The sale of one million packages a month seems to prove the statement to be true. Your grocer sells None-Such. Try it, and satisfy yourself. You are the one."

## A FAVORITE REMEDY FOR BABIES.

Its pleasant taste and prompt cure have made Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a favorite with the mothers of small children. It quickly cures their coughs and colds and prevents any danger of pneumonia or other serious consequences. It not only cures cough, but when given as soon as the cough appears will prevent the attack. For sale by all leading druggists.

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## OMNIBUS

NOTICE.  
When the advertisements appearing in this column have an address attached, some letter or other mark, the only way to get any information regarding this ad is to write to the address given and leave at this office. No information can be obtained from the office and it is asked to make inquiry.

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—House at 305 Hooker street. Apply at Union Hotel. 161f

FOR RENT—A large store room on West Morgan St. Call Ill. phone 1285. 181f

FOR RENT—Suite of three unfurnished rooms at 616 West State St. Apply to J. W. WALTON. 101f

FOR RENT—A 6 room house on South Prairie St.; good well and cistern. Apply at 612 South Prairie street. 181f

FOR RENT—Modern suite of rooms, with heat and light, for light housekeeping; furnished or unfurnished. 1300 West College Ave. Bell phone 625-4. 21f

FOR RENT—In a modern house, two or three furnished or unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping; in a strictly private family on West College avenue; with heat and light furnished. Address M. O., this office. 18-2f

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—6 room cottage 4 blocks from square. Inquire at "The Leader." 17-2f

FOR SALE—A good gang pump, cheap, and lot of good seed oats. R. R. 2. 17-3f

FOR SALE—Complete mechanical course in International Correspondence school at half price. Address "A B" care this office. 17-3f

FOR SALE—An 8-room house, lot \$1800, large barn, carriage shed, outbuildings; on paved street; electric lights and gas; water and sewer. Call Ill. phone 225. 21-1f

## HELP WANTED

WANTED—Girls at Harms' laundry. 151f

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1152 West State Street. 18-2f

WANTED—Cook, with references. Apply at Grand Restaurant. 141f

WANTED—Boy for porter at Grand Hotel. References required. 18-2f

WANTED—A first class young man stenographer. Address "C. A." care Journal. 6-1f

WANTED—A meat cutter. A man capable of managing a shop. Address "M-6," care Journal. 18-2f

WANTED—Married man to work on a farm. Inquire of W. H. Mosley, east of Plagah. Bell phone 917-4, or Rural Route No. 6. 161f

WANTED—Experienced hand sewers for colling and buttonholes; also bright, ambitious girls to learn all kinds of sewing. Apply at office of J. Capps & Sons, Ltd. 18-2f

## WANTED

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms at 119 East Morton avenue. 161f

WANTED—Small cottage by good tenants. Address "D. W." care Journal. 161f

WANTED—Dressmaking to do. Mrs. Schultz, 521 East Chambers St. 20-2f

WANTED—To rent a small house in the Third ward, Address "X-4," Journal. 20-2f

LOAN WANTED—Wanted to borrow \$7500 on city real estate; gift edged security. Address "X" Journal. 91f

WANTED—Position as stenographer; have had experience and would like permanent position; references given. Telephone No. 15 either phone. 10-1f

## MISCELLANEOUS

FUR BOX lost at barnacle can be found at this office. 20-2f

TRY THE ROBERTS Laundry and Dry Works. Illinois phone 1210. 11-1f

ORDER O'HAVEN'S carriage and baggage wagon by either phone 174. 11-1f

DRESS MAKING—Shirt "waist" suits a specialty. 846 North Main St. 17-2f

MRS. E. M. MAWHINNEY. HORSE CLIPPING done at Rutherford's barn. 231 North Main Street. Both phones No. 27. 21-1f

ORDER DALRYMPLE'S carriages and baggage wagon at Vickery & Merriam's. Barn and office, 307 E. Court St. Phone: Ill. 347; Bell, 432. 11-1f

LOST—Water spaniel pup. Return to 741 East Chambers street. 20-2f

STRAYED—One bay horse; two white hind feet; star in forehead. Telephone Illinois 117. 20-2f

## THE MARKETS

Following is to be given. The grain prices compiled by Schauble-Oakes Commission company, 229 1/2 West State street. Phone: Bell, 78; Illinois, 456.

Wheat—Open. High. Low. Today. Sat. May 1904. 79 1/2 79 1/2 78 1/2 78 1/2 78 1/2 July 1904. 78 1/2 78 1/2 77 1/2 77 1/2 77 1/2 May 1905. 44 1/2 44 1/2 43 1/2 43 1/2 43 1/2 July 1905. 44 1/2 44 1/2 43 1/2 43 1/2 43 1/2 May 1906. 20 1/2 20 1/2 19 1/2 19 1/2 19 1/2 July 1906. 20 1/2 20 1/2 19 1/2 19 1/2 19 1/2

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## DAILY MARKET LETTER.

Chicago, March 19.—Wheat. The early response here at the opening and the market showed a rather firm tone for the bulk of the session, although best prices were not maintained. The July delivery in Winnipeg and Minneapolis was selling at a premium over Chicago, which attracted considerable attention. Reports were current throughout the day of an improvement in the four business dead Duluth claimed a good export business doing. Locally the cash business was very general, and few new orders were made throughout the hour for the past twenty-four hours, with fair weather indicated and a moderate breeze.

Corn—Statistically the news was bullish and prices reflected it. The cash market was 1/2¢ higher, and Illinois dealers report an exceptionally good southern demand. Export offerings were extended over night. Statistically the position is very general, and few new orders were made throughout the hour for the past twenty-four hours, with fair weather indicated and a moderate breeze.

Provisions—The bull movement continues in provisions, and an improvement in the Chicago demand for both months' meat is being given rise to a considerable talk of the possibility of a late spring, and this is affecting sentiment. The cash market was 1/2¢ higher, and Illinois dealers report an exceptionally good southern demand. Export offerings were extended over night. Statistically the position is very general, and few new orders were made throughout the hour for the past twenty-four hours, with fair weather indicated and a moderate breeze.

## ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK MARKET.

St. Louis, March 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000. Market, weak. Best steers, \$22.50; cows and heifers, \$21.00; Texas steers, \$20.00. The market was steady; range, \$5.50 to \$6.50.

## LIVERPOOL MARKET.

Liverpool, March 19.—Wheat—Spot nominal. Corn—Spot and American mixed new firm at 4 1/2¢; American mixed old steady at 4 1/2¢.

## NEW YORK MARKET.

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## FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, March 19.—Money—Money on call firm; highest, 5 1/2¢ per cent; lowest, 4 1/2¢. Time loans steady; six months at 5 1/2¢; six months at 5 1/2¢.

## GOVERNMENT BONDS.

Registered 25. 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 Registered 30. 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 Registered 35. 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 Registered 40. 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 Registered 45. 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 Registered 50. 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 Registered 55. 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 Registered 60. 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 Registered 65. 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 Registered 70. 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 Registered 75. 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 Registered 80. 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 Registered 85. 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 Registered 90. 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 Registered 95. 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 Registered 100. 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

## NEW YORK STOCKS, MARCH 19.

Report made by S. T. Eriksen, Room 15, Stockmarket, New York. Illinois telephone, 461. Bell telephone, 522 1/2.

## OPEN, HIGH, LOW, CLOSE.

Amalg. Copper	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
American Sugar	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Atchafalpa	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Atchafalpa pfd	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Brooklyn Rap. Tran.	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Canadian Pacific	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
C. & M. & St. Paul	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Colo. Fuel & Iron	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Gen. Elec.	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2	



Begin to Use Our Shoes.

**HOPPER'S** Begin to Use Our Shoes.**QUALITY, QUANTITY, STYLE AND PRICE**

The honest endeavor to give everyone his money's worth is the basic principle of our success. We insist that every purchaser be so satisfied that a regular customer will result. We want the Hopper idea formed, so when you think of shoes, you will sure think of Hopper's. A great many have this noble thought, and we invite you to join their ranks, it will pay.

**Seasonable Footwear**

In season or out of season, you may be assured that you will be best satisfied by us. From the smallest child, the stylish young lady, the particular young man, on up to the middle age, clear up to the extreme old age, we suit best.

If it is rubber footwear, we lead. Lambertville Snag-proof Rubber Boots are the best made, conceded by all. Give them a trial and be convinced. Agents Dr. Reed's Cushion Sole Shoes.

Half Soles, Tacked 35c, 40c and 50c

**We Repair Shoes.** Half Soles, Sewed at Reduced Prices Both Phones**INDICATIONS.**

Washington, March 20.—For Illinois: Fair Tuesday and Wednesday, except snow flurries in the north and central portions.

**A VALUABLE ACQUISITION**

**Albert Compton Enters the Employment of the Jacksonville Tailoring Company.**

Albert Compton, formerly of this city, went to Chicago some time since and there entered the Cronberg cutting schools, where he took a thorough course in cutting, fitting and general merchant tailor work in all its branches and graduated with honor, receiving his diploma in due form. He has entered the employ of the Jacksonville Tailoring Company as cutter and will afford superior service to all the customers of that popular concern.

**Buy Herman's celebrated millinery, the best and the cheapest on earth. Superior to the productions of all other houses.**

**CARD OF THANKS.**

We wish to express our sincere gratitude to the many friends who so kindly assisted during the sickness and after the death of our dear baby. Also for the beautiful floral offerings.

O. L. Halloway and Family.

**"It's Up to You, John Henry" at the Grand tomorrow night. Plenty of good seats left.**

Several persons have complained to the Journal that there were heartless drivers on the streets yesterday. Quite a number appeared without fly nets or heat protectors on the heads of their horses. At such times as this neglect is cruelty to animals.

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**COAL AT COST**

**Jacksonville Coal Co. Will Fill Your Orders at Cost.**

The Jacksonville Coal company is still standing by the people during this cold snap, and the price of coal has remained steadily at 11 cents a bushel, while other coal men have been asking from 13 to 16 cents.

This company has sought to do the square thing by the people and would continue to give them coal at the same old price but the mines from which they obtain their supply have repudiated their contract with this firm and notified them that hereafter they will have to pay an increased price at the mine for coal. It has become necessary under this later arrangement to increase the price, but the Jacksonville Coal company will sell to the public at only the actual increase in price that has been made to them and the price of their coal will only be raised one cent.

The price 12 cents per bushel, or \$3.00 a ton. This is for mine run coal which is all that can now be had. In making the public this price they are selling it for just what it is costing them.

They have been short in their supply during the past two days because of the large demand made upon them but they are filling their orders just as fast as possible. With the new arrangement they will have plenty of coal and in ordering from the Jacksonville Coal company you will get the best coal at the lowest prices and full weight guaranteed.

A. W. Compton has returned from Chicago where he has been attending a cutting school and will take a position with the Jacksonville Tailoring Co. as cutter.

**INCREASE CAPITAL STOCK.**

Montreal, March 19.—At a special meeting of the directors of the Canadian Pacific railway it was decided to increase the capital stock \$10,000,000, of which \$20,000,000 will at once be issued, making the total stock \$150,000,000.

**THE DEATH RECORD****SHIRTLEIFF.**

The three-days-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Shirtleiff, of Lynnvile, died early Monday morning.

There will be no services at the house, but brief services will be held at Diamond Grove cemetery this morning in charge of Rev. J. L. Wylder.

**BLESSE.**

Charles Blesse, of this city, has received word of the sudden death of his father, D. Blesse, of Davenport, Iowa, and expected to start to-day to attend the funeral.

**LADY HAS CLOSE CALL.**

The Decatur Herald says: While returning to this city last night from a visit in St. Louis Miss Pearl Covington, who lives at Neelyville, came near being shot.

The train was waiting at the station in Litchfield and Miss Covington was quietly awaiting its departure when she was startled by the sound of glass crashing and felt the whirr of the bullet as it passed near her head. The bullet passed on and lodged in the window casing beyond. It is not known who fired the shot and the whole affair is involved in mystery. A detective sat in the seat just opposite Miss Covington and he at once attempted to locate the one who did the shooting, but to no avail.

An affair almost similar to this one occurred in Taylorville just fourteen years ago, the only exception being that the one firing the shot was captured and sentenced to the penitentiary. Miss Covington came on to this city where she will remain for several days with friends and relatives.

Miss Covington is a highly estimable young lady, who has many friends both in Jacksonville and the community in which she lives and they will all rejoice to know that she escaped injury.

Miss Kate Brown, of Lincoln, is the guest of Mrs. J. O. Vosseler and other friends in the city.

**THE WOMAN'S COLLEGE****RECEIVES GREAT GIFTS**

**Gets \$25,000 from One Friend and \$5,000 From Another.**

The enthusiasm of faculty and students of the Illinois Woman's college knew no bounds when President Harker announced at chapel last night the gift of \$5,000 in cash from one friend, and an offer of \$25,000 from another. It has been known for some time that the president has neat plans for the sixtieth anniversary, which will occur in 1907. It begins to look as if these plans will now surely be realized. It is understood that the large gift is conditioned on the beginning of an endowment fund, and the erection of a building for general college purposes, to provide additional recitation rooms, a music hall with organ, an adequate art room for the rapidly increasing art department, and many rooms for piano practice, and for musical instruction for the popular college of music.

President Harker cannot give the details of these gifts till the meeting of the trustees, which has been called for Thursday evening, but it surely looks as if the day of the woman's college is coming and that its many friends everywhere are now ready to unite to make it the greatest woman's college of the entire west.

The Journal is greatly pleased to learn these facts and hopes the gifts are but the forerunners of yet greater ones for this worthy institution. Great praise is due President Harker for his persistent and intelligent work in behalf of the college and he certainly deserves success. The cause of education is the one thing of which Jacksonville has reason to be proud and it is also the great attraction to our city, so that from a commercial standpoint as well as from higher motives money devoted to the colleges is well spent.

**"THANK YOU,"****SAY SMOKERS**

**All Who Love a Cigar Appreciate Armstrong's Introduction of Chicots.**

It is reported that the smokers in Jacksonville are going to present a testimonial to Armstrong for assuming the agency of Wadsworth Bros. Chicots, a high grade Havana filled cigar that sells for a nickel.

Armstrong, however, is perfectly satisfied, though, with the appreciative "thank you's" he has heard from lovers of a good cigar to whom he has recommended the Chicots. It is one of the best smokes in their show case, and sells at a price so low that any one can afford to smoke it.

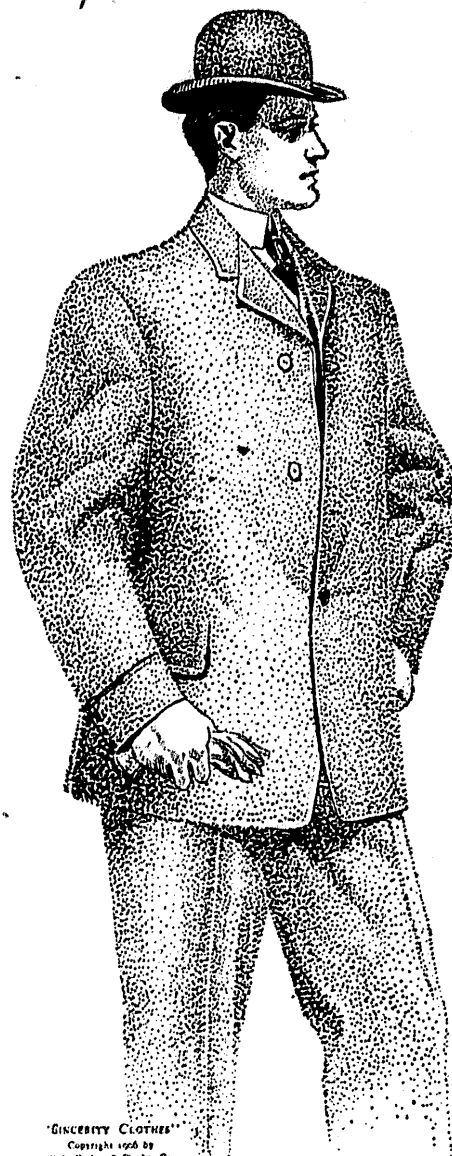
The price, however, is not the reason why our leading lawyers, bankers, and business men call for the Chicots. They buy it and smoke it because it is a good cigar. Try one yourself and join the Chicots club.

The schools generally had but one session yesterday as the storm was so bad that the children couldn't be expected to brave the elements twice.

We Conform Hats to Fit the Head

**MYERS BROTHERS.**

We Make Shirts to Order

**Advance Styles In Men's Clothes NOW READY**

**T**HERE is an advantage in early selection of patterns and fabrics, which is appreciated by discriminating men who pay some attention to the proprieties of dress.

We have received several of the new Spring Styles, which may be termed exclusive fabrics, as there are only two or three of a pattern in each lot. These comprehend the season's novelties in light weight woollens.

We invite inspection of these by interested customers. Most of our advance styles are here and from these can be formed an exact estimate of the prevailing modes for Spring and Summer.

Suits, the new grays, form fitting long coats,

**\$7.50 to \$25.**

Top Coats and Cravenettes, grays and Covers,

**\$10 to \$22.50****CLOTHES FOR BOYS AND LITTLE FELLOWS**

Mothers will find a pleasure in looking over the many styles, 2-piece Russian Blouse and Norfolk Suits, stylish and durable, at a moderate cost.

**\$1.00 to \$10.00**

Child's Reefer Top Coats, blues, grays, covert and fancy Scotchies.

**\$3.00 to \$6.00**

**NEW CAPS**—Tams, Golf and Auto shapes Johnnie Jones school hats, all colors ..... 50c

**Spring Shirts**

The newest shadings in various effects, blues, helios, lavender and pinks; Manhattans and other good makes.

**\$1.00 to \$3.00**

We want men who are particular about their ties (and most men are) to see our spring display.

**IT'S BEAUTIFUL  
IT'S MORE  
IT'S ELEGANT**

Every new shade and coloring.  
**25c to \$1.50**

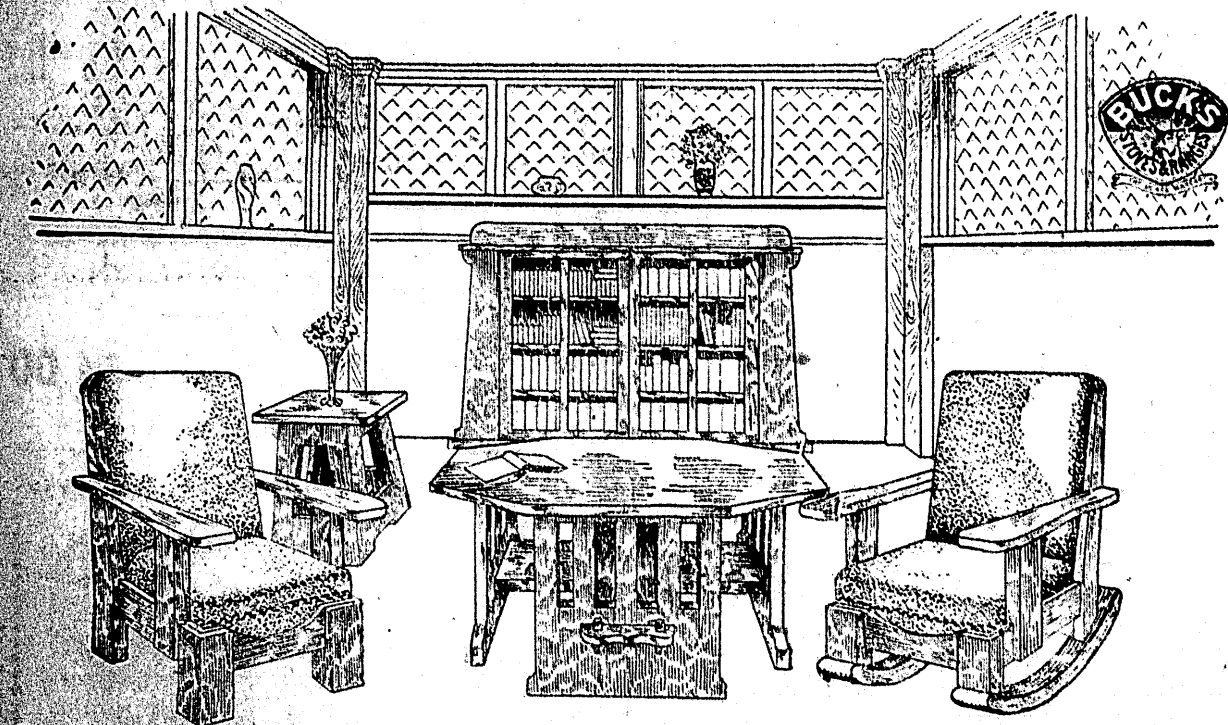
**Stetson Hats**

Every man who first tries a Stetson wonders why he didn't do it years before.

We have the Stetson Silt and Derby Hats in all the latest styles.

**We'll Furnish Your Home from Cellar to Garret**

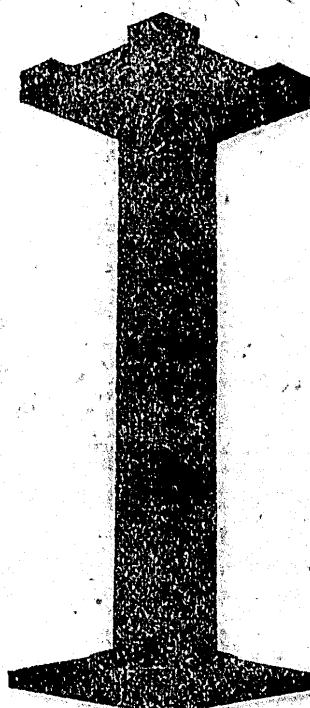
At a smaller cost than at any housefurnishing store in central Illinois, quality considered. We are showing a larger assortment in every line than ever before. Cadi & Valkyrie ingrain carpets, Priscilla, Pilgrim and Kaba rugs, are among some of the new floor coverings. Ask to see the new Somersaulta bed-davenport, the newest thing out. It's certainly a wonder.

**This is the Store for Pedestals**

Here's a beautiful 24 inch pedestal, either real quartered oak or real mahogany, hand polished and a dandy at \$2.00; this week only

**\$1.19**

See Our Rope Portiere Worth \$1.75 for 95c



This beautiful parlor pedestal. 34 inches high, either golden quartered oak, early English or real mahogany, all hand rubbed polished, worth easily \$6.00, this week only

**\$3.95**